

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO KENTUCKY'S PRESENT AND)	ADMINISTRATIVE CASE
FUTURE ELECTRIC NEEDS AND THE ALTERNA-)	NO. 308
TIVES FOR MEETING THOSE NEEDS)	

O R D E R

On April 28, 1989, the Commission ordered all parties to file by June 27, 1989 comments on a phased approach to the development of an integrated resource planning regulation and the specific processes, procedures, and requirements embodied in a draft regulation. On May 30, 1989, Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers ("KIUC") filed a motion requesting an extension to July 7, 1989 for the filing of comments by all parties other than ICF Incorporated ("ICF"). KIUC states that: (1) these parties should have the benefit of ICF's comments in order that their understanding of the proposed regulation and its implementation may be as complete and correct as possible; and (2) the Chairman of KIUC's statewide planning effort will not return from vacation until June 27, 1989.

The Commission recognizes the need for the comments of all parties to be reasonable and informed. However, these comments were not intended to relate to ICF's discussion of the development and implementation of the regulation. Rather, the comments should be candid in nature and reflect each party's initial interpretation and perception of the Commission's proposals. Further, while the Commission is sympathetic to the scheduling conflicts of

KIUC's members, the hearing on these comments has been scheduled for July 18, 1989. An extension to July 7, 1989 for filing comments will not provide adequate time for their review by the Staff and the parties prior to the hearing.

Therefore, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that KIUC's motion should be denied. However, the Commission finds that there is merit in KIUC's suggestion that the parties have an opportunity to comment upon ICF's comments. Consequently, any party may file by July 10, 1989 additional comments replying solely to ICF's comments.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

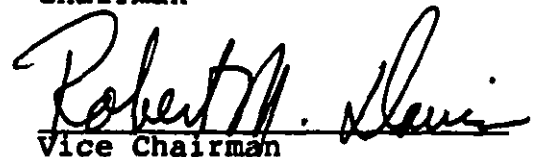
1. KIUC's motion for the extension of time for the filing of comments from parties other than ICF be, and it hereby is, denied.

2. All parties shall have until July 10, 1989 to file comments, if any, replying solely to ICF's comments.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9th day of June, 1989.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director